

Amendment in Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of October 24, 2008

REMARKS

This Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is being filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 24, 2008. Reconsideration and allowance of the present application in view of the remarks to follow are respectfully requested.

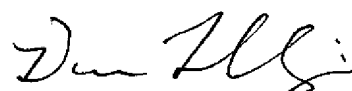
In the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, it was indicated that the Abstract does not include marking showing additions and deletion.

It is respectfully submitted that, in the amendment filed on September 26, 2008, the current Abstract was deleted and substituted with a New Abstract. Further, there is no requirement to show any additions or deletions in a New Abstract, where the current Abstract is deleted. Additions or deletions are required only a Replacement Abstract, where the current Abstract is replaced with a Replacement Abstract, and not deleted and replaced with a New Abstract.

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In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, and a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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